

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application Of:

Inventor:

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For:

Hot Runner System Components of Two Materials and  
Method of Manufacture

Group Art Unit:

3752

Examiner:

Christopher S. Kim

Docket No.:

H-732-0-US

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office communication mailed November 2, 2006. This response is being filed within the **one-month shortened statutory period for reply**.

Accordingly, Applicant believes no extension of time is required. However, in the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1388 for the cost of such extension.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on **page 2** of this paper.

**Claim Status** begins on **page 11** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on **page 18** of this paper.